

**2026 New Student Orientation Schedule**  
**Montana Technological University**  
Wednesday, August 19 – Sunday, August 23

**Wednesday, August 19**

- 8:00 AM – 1:30 PM: **Check-In / Move-In Times** (Required)
  - *Student Union Building (SUB)*
    - All new students are assigned a designated check-in time.
- 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM: **Lunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM: **Free Time / Campus Offices Open**
  - **Optional Placement Testing**
    - *Student Success Center (SSC), Room 3.132*
- 2:30 PM – 3:45 PM:
  - **Team Meeting 1** (Required)
    - *All groups meet their Orientation Leaders (OLs) in the Courtyard.*
  - **Parent / Family Q&A Session**
    - *Library Auditorium*
- 4:00 PM: **Convocation** (Required)
  - *Leonard Field*
- 5:00 PM: **Dinner & Parent / Family Social**
  - *Leonard Field*
- 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM: **Residence Hall Floor Meetings**
  - (Required for students living on campus)
  - *Location set by your Resident Assistant (RA)*
- 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM: **Free Time**
- 9:00 PM: **Campus Movie Night: Zootopia 2**
  - *Alumni Coliseum (Football Field)*

**Thursday, August 20**

**All Groups**

- 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM: **Breakfast**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 8:30 AM – 9:00 AM: **Team Meeting 2** (Required)
  - *Groups will meet in their designated rooms:*
    - Group 1: SUB 113
    - Group 2: SUB 212
    - Group 3: HSB 002

- Group 4: HSB 009
- Group 5: CBB 101
- Group 6: MG 204
- Group 7: CBB 112
- Group 8: MUS 205
- Group 9: SE 106
- Group 10: SE 113
- Group 11: MG 103
- Group 12: MG 104
- Group 13: ELC 106
- Group 14: CBB 102
- Group 15: ELC 202
- Group 16: ELC 203

### Groups 1-8

- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM: **Academic Integrity** (Required)
  - *Room locations below:*
    - Group 1: HSB 009
    - Group 2: CBB 102
    - Group 3: SE 113
    - Group 4: SUB 113
    - Group 5: CBB 101
    - Group 6: SE 106
    - Group 7: MG 204
    - Group 8: SUB 212
- 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM: **Free Time / Travel Time**
- 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM: **The Hook Up** (Required)
  - *Library Auditorium*
- 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM: **Lunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM: **Holistic Academic Success** (Required)
  - *Copper Lounge (SUB 204)*

### Groups 9-16

- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM: **Holistic Academic Success** (Required)
  - *Copper Lounge (SUB 204)*
- 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM: **Free Time / Travel Time**
- 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM: **Academic Integrity** (Required)
  - *Room locations below:*
    - Group 9: HSB 009

- Group 10: CBB 102
- Group 11: SE 113
- Group 12: SUB 113
- Group 13: CBB 101
- Group 14: SE 106
- Group 15: MG 204
- Group 16: SUB 212
- 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM: **Lunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 12:30 PM – 2:00 PM: **The Hook Up** (Required)
  - *Library Auditorium*

### **All Groups**

- 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM: **Team Meeting 3** (Required)
  - *Designated Team Meeting Rooms*
- 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM: **Trek to the M**
  - *Big Butte Open Space Arch*
  - **Optional Placement Testing**
    - Student Success Center (SSC), Room 3.132
- 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM: **Dinner**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 6:30 PM – 9:00 PM: **Free Time**
- 9:00 PM – 10:30 PM: **HPER After Dark / Ice Cream Social**
  - *HPER*

### **Friday, August 21**

- 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM: **Breakfast**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM: **Highlands College Orientation/Breakfast**
  - (Required for Highlands College Students)
  - *Highlands College Commons*
- 8:30 AM – 10:00 AM: **Free Time / Campus Offices Open**
  - **Optional Placement Testing**
    - *Student Success Center (SSC), Room 3.132*
- 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM: **Rotating Resource Sessions**
  - Students have three opportunities to attend the resource sessions listed below. These sessions offer a chance to learn about various campus resources and ask questions. Each session will be held at the times listed below:
    - 10:00 AM – 10:25 AM: Resource Session 1

- 10:30 AM – 10:55 AM: Resource Session 2
- 11:00 AM – 11:25 AM: Resource Session 3

### **Resource Sessions**

- **Health and Wellness: SUB 212**
  - *Cara DeBolt* – Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor (LCPC)
    - Take care of yourself during your time at Montana Tech. Come by this informal session to learn more about the Intermountain Health Clinic and Counseling Services located in the Student Union Building. You'll have the chance to ask questions, explore services offered, and get familiar with Mantra Health – a resource you can access 24/7.
- **Career Services: SUB 204**
  - *Aaron Frale* - Director of Career Services
    - Learn how Career Services can help you get the best return on your education with career support and strong job placement rates. Get expert guidance for navigating today's evolving job market, explore resume and interview tips, and find out about our incredible career fairs and why you should start thinking about them now.
- **ASMT, Intramural Sports, and Clubs: SUB 113**
  - *ASMT Leadership*
    - "There's nothing to do at Montana Tech..." SAID NO ONE EVER. Stop by to meet the leaders of the Associated Students of Montana Tech (ASMT) and discover how you can get involved on campus. Whether it's student government and campus entertainment, intramural sports, or campus clubs, there's something for everyone.
- **Research Opportunities at Tech: HSB 009**
  - *Dr. Katie Hailer* – Vice Chancellor for Research & Dean of the Graduate School
    - Are you interested in participating in research during your time at Montana Tech? Stop by to explore opportunities and learn how you can get involved.

### **Groups 1-8**

- 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM: **Lunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM: **Team Meeting 4** (Required)
  - *Designated Team Meeting Rooms*

## Groups 9-16

- 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM: **Team Meeting 4** (Required)
  - *Designated Team Meeting Rooms*
- 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM: **Lunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*

## All Groups

- 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM: **Optional QPR Training**
  - *SUB 204 (Copper Lounge)*
- 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM:
  - **Student Veteran Orientation**
    - *SUB Courtyard*
  - **Montana 10 Orientation**
    - *HSB 202*
- 2:30 PM – 5:00 PM: **Team Meeting 5: Oredigger Campus Resource Tour** (Required)
  - *Designated Team Meeting Rooms*
- 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM: **Dinner**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM: **Free Time**
- 8:30 PM – 9:30 PM: **Oredigger Hunt**
  - *HPER Lawn*
- 9:30 PM – 11:00 PM: **Paint U Party**
  - *HPER Lawn*
    - Make sure to bring your Digger Card to receive a free t-shirt!

## Saturday, August 22: Optional Events

- Optional Recreation Trips (Advanced Registration Required):
  - **Our Lady of the Rockies Tour**
  - **Trolley Tours**
  - **Underground Mine Tour**
    - Registration links can be found in the check-in email sent to students' Montana Tech email addresses. Attendees should follow the instructions provided and be prepared to meet at the designated location/time. For questions about additional availability, please contact [campuslife@mtech.edu](mailto:campuslife@mtech.edu).
- 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM: **Butte Farmers' Market**
  - Residence Hall Students: Your RA will coordinate a time for those interested to join a walking trip to the Farmers' Market.

- Commuter Students: Meet at the SUB Information Desk at 9:00 AM and join Orientation Leaders for a walking trip to the Farmers' Market.
- 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM: **Sapphire Mining**
  - *SUB Courtyard*
- 10:00 AM – 1:30 PM: **Brunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 5:00 PM – 7:30 PM: **Dinner**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 6:00 PM: **Kickball with Intramural Sports**
  - *HPER Lawn*

### **Sunday, August 23**

- 10:00 AM – 1:30 PM: **Brunch**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*
- 5:00 PM – 7:30 PM: **Dinner**
  - *Marcus Daly Dining Hall (SUB)*

### **Monday, August 24**

- **Classes Begin**